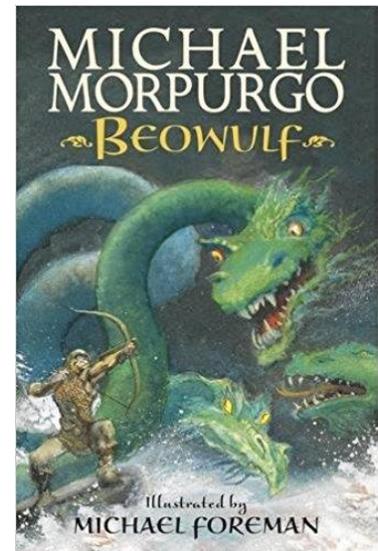


WELCOME TO YEAR 5

Welcome to Year 5. In Year 5, the teacher is Mrs Benham and the supporting teaching assistants are Mrs Murray & Mrs Huntington. There are 31 children in our class. Autumn term will be an exciting and challenging term for us and we are all very enthusiastic and energized for it!



In Literacy this term, we will be studying a range of texts, in particular, myths & legends and newspaper reports. These texts will enable the children to produce a wide range of creative writing whilst beginning to use the grammatical skills that are required in Year 5. Children will be continuing to practice and develop their grammar, punctuation and spelling skills throughout all aspects of their work. This term we will be reading *Beowulf* by Michael Morpurgo and *Viking Boy* by Tony Bradman.



This term we will be covering place value, looking at numbers up to 1,000,000, negative numbers, roman numerals and the four number operations. We will ensure we are looking at how maths is used in every day life to highlight the relevance and importance of it. The children will be practicing their timetables everyday through the TT Rockstars



programme.

In topic this term, we will be looking at the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings. The children will be recording and representing their work in the form of a floor book, which will enable them to lead their own learning and be more creative with the ways they choose to produce and present their work. During this topic we will look at the physical geography of the UK and discover where the Anglo-Saxons and Vikings settled during their time. Children will have the opportunity to look at maps and find Anglo-Saxon place names.

In science, the topic for this term is animals including humans. Children will be looking at the changes from birth to old age as well as looking at the gestation periods of humans and other animals.

To keep up to date with what we are up to in Year Five, please keep checking our year Five Class Dojo account where there will be important reminders, class updates and photographs of our work and activities that we complete in class.



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Thank you!
Mrs Benham

